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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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11 RAYMOND ALFORD BRADFORD,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 P. SAFY,

15 Defendant.
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No. 2:21-cv-0637-TLN-EFB P


ORDER

17 Plaintiff is a state prisoner proceeding without counsel in an action brought under 42
18 U.S.C. § 1983. On May 19, 2021, the court issued findings and recommendations which
19 recommended dismissal of this action after plaintiff failed to pay the filing fee required by 28
20 U.S.C. § 1914(a) or request leave to proceed in forma pauperis and submit the affidavit and trust
21 account statement required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a). ECF No. 9. Thereafter, plaintiff filed a
22 declaration stating that a correctional officer was supposed to have mailed his completed in forma
23 pauperis application to the court. ECF No. 10. To date, the court has not received plaintiff's
24 application. In an abundance of caution, the court will grant plaintiff an extension of time to pay
25 the filing fee or file an application for leave to proceed in forma pauperis.¹

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27 ¹ If plaintiff experiences a delay in obtaining a certified trust account statement, he may
28 simply file a signed application for leave to proceed in forma pauperis without it. In that case, the
court will order the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to submit the trust
account statement directly to the court.

1 Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that plaintiff has 30 days from the date of
2 service of this order to pay the filing fee or file an application for leave to proceed in forma
3 pauperis. The Clerk of the Court is directed to mail to plaintiff a form application for leave to
4 proceed in forma pauperis. Should plaintiff fail to timely comply, the findings and
5 recommendations will be submitted to the district judge for consideration.

6 DATED: May 26, 2021.

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8 EDMUND F. BRENNAN
9 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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